

RESOLUTIONS

OF THE

LEGISLATURE OF NEW JERSEY,

IN FAVOR OF

The reimbursement of expenses incurred by Wm. Napton and Alexander F. Arnold, in raising volunteers for the war with Mexico.

MARCH 29, 1848.

Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs, and ordered to be printed.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY.

Whereas it is represented, to the satisfaction of the legislature, that Captain William Napton and Lieutenant Alexander F. Arnold, officers commissioned by the governor of this State to command, as became the rank of each, a company in the New Jersey battalion during the year 1847, expended and became accountable for various sums of money, amounting in all to the sum of sixteen hundred and eighty-two dollars and fifty-two cents, towards clothing, subsistence, and other necessary expenses of the men raised by them, which men went to Mexico in said battalion: and whereas the said officers raised the men in good faith, with the intention of going with them to Mexico, but were prevented by circumstances beyond their control, and by force of like circumstances have not been able to obtain remuneration for their expenditures, and it being just and proper that the said officers should be remunerated for such expenditures: Therefore,

Resolved, (the Senate concurring) That the Senators and Representatives in Congress of the State of New Jersey be requested to use every honorable exertion to procure the passage of a law of Congress to obtain remuneration for said Captain William Napton and Lieutenant Alexander F. Arnold.

Resolved, That the governor of this State be requested to transmit a copy of the foregoing preamble and resolution to each of the Senators and Representatives in Congress from the State of New Jersey.

Passed March 3, 1848.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY:

I, Charles G. McChesney, secretary of state of the State of New Jersey, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of concurrent resolutions

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passed by the legislature of said State, March 3, 1848, as taken from and compared with the original on file in my office.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal of office at Trenton, this twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight.

CHARLES G. McCHESNEY,
Secretary of State.